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THE NEWS OF THE DAY

An Epidemic of Murder in Kansas City, Mo.

GOOD SUBJECTS FOR JUDGE LYNCH.

More Libel Suits Brought by Senator Quay—Blown to Pieces With Giant Powder—Fatally Injured by Falling From a Car, Etc.

An Epidemic of Murder.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Nov. 3.—Three deaths reported within twelve hours here, one a murder and the other two very suspicious looking affairs, indicate that the fact that fourteen murderers are untried in the Kansas City jail is bearing fruit. Six miles east of Lone Jack in the eastern part of this county, Samuel Smith was killed by John Aldrich, a neighbor, in a quarrel over a set of harness After the shooting the murderer sent word to the dead man's wife that he had killed her husband and she had better look after the body. Aldrich is now in jail.

Michael C Grace, switchman in the Union Pacific yards died yesterday morning from a fractured skull received in a mysterious manner Sunday evening. His death is laid to John Nichols, another switchman, and he is now under arrest.

At 11:45 o'clock yesterday morning the fire department was called to a fire in a shanty on Tenth street, and when the flames were extinguished they found the dead body of a woman lying on the floor of the house with the blood running from a wound in her mouth. The house had been robbed. None of the neighbors knew anything of the woman or of how the house became fired.

Good Subjects for Judge Lynch.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., Nov. 3.—Five assassinations within ninety days is the record of Georgiana, a small town in Butler county. This morning the dead and mangled bodies of Tom Shephard, aged 80 years, and his wife, were found at that place. During the night both had been brained with an ax, which was found bedside the bed, clotted with blood. No cause for the deed is known, but it is believed that the murder was committed because the aged couple were against the moonshiners, a desperate gang of whom operate in the vicinity of Georgiana and are already responsibles for two previous murders. The sheriff and a posse are scouring the country, and if caught the murderers will be lynched. Great excitement prevails.

More Libel Suits Brought by Senator Quay.

MEADVILLE, Pa., Nov. 3.—R. B. Brown, editor of the Messenger (dem); Geo. H. St. John and L. A. Tucker, editor of the Pennsylvania Farmer (Peoples' Grange Alliance), were arrested yesterday charged with libel by Senator M. S. Quay. The amount of damages claimed in each case is $3,000. The accused gave bail in $2,000 each. Senator Quay also entered suit yesterday against Editor McEnancy, of the Titusville American Citizen, and has instructed his attorneys to bring civil suits against the Western Press, at Mercer, Pa., for libel with damages fixed at $10,000.

Fatal and Costly Collision Between Freight Trains.

BRISTOL, Tenn., Nov. 3.—Two freights on the East Tennessee, Virginia & Georgia road ran into each other yesterday morning, 13 miles east of Knoxville, and were badly wrecked The two engines were demolished and a number of cars burned. Brakeman Falley and a tramp were killed.

Locked in the House and Burned to Death.

WARSAW, Ill., Nov. 3.—Yesterday morning Mrs. Eliza Riley locked two of her son's children, aged 2 and 4 years, in the house while she went on an errand. From some unknown cause the house was fired and before assistance arrived the children were burned to death.

Blown to Pieces With Giant Powder.

DENVER, Col., Nov. 3.—While blasting rock at Morrison, a suburb of Denver, Lee Scanlan, aged 27, accidentally exploded eight pounds of giant powder. He was blown over a cliff ninety feet high and parts of his body were found 300 feet distant from where the accident occurred.

Respited.

LEAVENWORTH, Kan., Nov. 3.—Charles Albert Benson, who murdered Mrs. Theresa Mettman on the government reservation, north of the city, on the night of March 23, 1890, has been respited for ninety days by President Harrison. Benson was to have been hanged here next Thursday.

Fatally Injured by Falling from a Car.

DENVER, Col., Nov. 3.—John Erickson, aged 30, employed by the Denver Tramway Co. as a flagman, was thrown from a cable train yesterday afternoon while it was rounding a curve. His back was broken and he received internal injuries which will prove fatal.

Took Poison Because Her Husband Was on a Spree.

DENVER, Col., Nov. 3.—Mrs. Jacob Huber, of this city, took "rough on rats" Sunday night with suicidal intent, and died at 10:30 yesterday morning. Mrs. Huber was despondent on account of her husband being on a spree, and concluded to end her existence. After taking the drug she relented and was very anxious to get well.

Want the National Conventions.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 3.—Mayor Sanderson has called a meeting of prominent politicians to take steps to secure one or both of the national conventions. The railroads promise to make a round trip fare of $50 from all points east of San Francisco if successful.

TELEGRAPHIC NOTES.

—It is reported that Mrs. Parnell's recovery is doubtful.

—The Annandale Opera Co. has gone to pieces at Cincinnati, and the manager, principals and chorus are in that city without a cent.

—Only a supreme judge is to be elected in Colorado to-day. The candidates are Luther N. Goddard, democrat, and Joseph C. Helm, republican.

—The receipts from customs at New York for the six months ended September 30, 1891, were $28,583,850 less than for the corresponding six months of 1890.

—Secretary Tracy left Washington for New York yesterday afternoon. He goes home to vote and will return to Washington immediately after the election.

—The Martin's Ferry (O) keg, barrel and box works was totally destroyed by fire yesterday with all the contents, including 50,000 kegs. Loss, $70,000; fully insured.

—The suspension of the Maverick national bank of Boston did not occasion much surprise in New York city, where it had been discussed for a week as a coming event.

—Secretary Tracy says there are no grounds for the sensational rumors sent out from Washington, and that the uneasiness which has been felt in the Chilian matter is not now applicable.

—The Russian imperial ukase prohibiting henceforth the exportation of all cereals except wheat, also interdicts the sending out of the country of potatoes, flour, malt, meal, dough and baked bread.

—An associate justice of the supreme court and two regents of the state university are to be elected in Nebraska to-day. The democrats, republicans and prohibitionists have tickets in the field.

—In Maryland to-day, Frank Brown is the democratic candidate for governor, William J. Vannort heads the republican ticket and Edward Higgins that of the prohibitionists. Numerous amendments to the constitution will be voted on.

—The census office yesterday announced the population of Mississippi by minor civil divisions. The population of the state is given as 1,289,600, against 1,131,597 in 1880. Of the seventy-five counties in the state eleven show decreases.

—The comptroller of the currency yesterday appointed Thomas P. Beall receiver of the Maverick national bank of Boston, insolvent. Mr. Beall is president of the Second national bank of Boston, and chairman of the clearing house committee.

—Chevalier Mott, of Italy, vice-consul at Boston, has been transferred temporarily to take charge of the Italian consulate at New Orleans, vacated by Consul Corte, whose rabid utterances on the New Orleans mafia affair caused his departure from that city.

—The Maverick national bank of Boston, the most prominent financial institution in New England, suspended payment yesterday. Bank Examiner Magrader dropped dead of heart disease Sunday incidental to the mental excitement over the pending exposure

—Senor Monit, the Chilian minister, called at the navy department and had a conference with Secretary Tracy. He called on Secretary Blaine, accompanied by Secretary Tracy. His interview with Secretary Blaine was very brief, lasting but fifteen minutes, and its nature could not be learned

—The survivors of the famine in Russia are in most instances too weak to attend the burial of the dead, and the officials are compelled, much against their will, to inter the remains. Samara is also visited by typhus fever, which is playing havoc with those who have survived the famine.

—The drying-room of the four story building of the Lorillard tobacco factory in Jersey City, caught fire yesterday morning, and was not extinguished until about $50,000 damage to the stock and building had been done. For some time there was a panic among the operatives, but all got out in safety.

—Robert E. Pattison, democrat, carried the state of Pennsylvania last year for governor by a trifle over 16,000 plurality. The democrats expect that A. L. Tilden, their candidate for state treasurer, will receive as large a plurality. The republicans, on the other hand, expect to reverse these figures in favor of David McMurtrie Gregg, their nominee.

—The Massachusetts senate stands at the present time: Republicans, 28; democrats, 20, independent, 1; union labor, 1 There are 52 republicans in the house, as against 46 democrats, 4 independents and 1 adherent of the union labor party. In the election to-day the democrats hope to secure a majority in the legislature for the purpose of redistricting the state.

—Besides electing a governor and other state officers and an entire legislature, the vote in Massachusetts to-day will be taken for the two proposed amendments to the constitution, one relating to the qualifications of voters for general officers, the other making a majority of members a quorum in each branch of the legislature. Gov. Russell's (Dem.) plurality last year was 9,000.

—At the last gubernatorial election in New York Hill was elected over Miller by 19,000 plurality, the prohibitionists and socialists polling only 83,000 between them. A secretary of state, comptroller, treasurer, attorney-general, state engineer and surveyor, together with a senate and assembly, ten justices of the supreme court and representatives in congress from the second, tenth, twelfth and twenty-second districts, are to be elected to-day.

The President and Two Directors of the Maverick National Bank Arrested.

BOSTON, Nov. 3.—Asa P. Potter, president; Col. J. H. French, and Thomas Dana, directors of the Maverick national bank, were arrested by United States marshals last night. The former was arrested at his summer residence at Cohassett, and the two directors were arrested at their residences in this city. The warrants upon which the arrests were made charge "the embezzlement and misappropriation of funds of the Maverick national bank."

It is understood that the amounts involved in the charge will reach $1,500,000 in the case of Mr. Potter, $600,000 in that of Mr. French and $300,000 in that of Mr. Dana

The men were brought before United States Commissioner Hallett, who fixed bail in Dana's case at $75,000, which was furnished. Potter's bail was placed at $150,000, and French's at $100,000. These gentlemen made no attempt to procure bondsmen last night.

Gov. Buchanan Determined to Suppress the Rioters.

CHATTANOOGA, Tenn., Nov. 3.—Gov. Buchanan passed through the city yesterday, en route for Knoxville from Nashville, whither he had gone to consult with Attorney-General Pickle and where he issued his proclamation. The governor had heard the news of the release of 200 more prisoners at Oliver Springs. He said he had exhausted all the resources at his command and was determined to break up the lawlessness and bring the ringleaders to justice. He had done all in his power by message and personal influence before the legislature to secure relief for the miners, but while he sympathized with them, he could not uphold lawlessness. He will issue an additional proclamation, offering a reward for the capture of the leaders of the new mob.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—U. S. Gov't Report, Aug. 17, 1889.

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A GREAT SACRIFICE.

Life and Fortune Freely Given Up for Friends.

A DYING APPEAL: "DON'T BLAME ME!"

Light Upon Transactions Which Led to the Suspension of the Maverick National Bank of Boston—President and Directors Arrested.

BOSTON, Nov. 3.—The following is printed by the Boston News bureau:

The friends of Irving A. Evans declare that he offered up his life as a tribute to friendship. He was worth $800,000 one year ago, and gave all this and more to save his friends. Checks were kited by him between New York and Boston and he had enormous arbitrage transactions in both exchanges to make clearings between the two cities and assist the Maverick bank to meet one draft with another. When this strain could no longer be borne, he overdrew his account at the bank to make his own clients individually square, destroyed all evidence implicating any other parties and, declining to return to the city to effect a settlement upon his own account at the bank, he put himself out of the world to save Mr. Potter and the bank. His dying words to his wife were: "Don't blame me."

When his body was cold, his hand was found bare of the handsome gold ring, which he had worn for a long time, a gift from Mr. Potter. He had taken it off the day previous to his death and throwing it carelessly in his hand, remarked to his aunt: "This means nothing to me now, for I have no longer any friends."

Upon Mr Evans' books are five joint accounts. Joint account No. 3, is what Mr. Evans termed to his associates and confidential friends "the big account." It is this account that is $600,000 under water. There is no evidence of one living man, we believe, that shows Mr. Potter was the partner upon this joint account. It has been assumed by the bookkeeper and Mr. Evans' partners that this account belonged to Mr. Evans and Mr. Potter jointly, but Mr. Potter's name is not upon the books, and Mr. Evans in his last letters explained it explicitly. To different persons within a year Mr. Evans has said that Mr. Potter had no joint account and no transactions with him.

Mr. Potter has been paid about $150,000 as profits of joint speculation with Mr. Evans, but Mr. Potter declares that he has received no checks from Mr. Evans for eighteen months, nor has he, during this time, had any personal account with Mr. Evans. All of Mr. Evans' great speculations during that period have, however, been conducted in the name of this joint account, and it is declared by some people that the Maverick bank surplus was in reality the partner on this joint account.

It was understood by Mr. Evans' family, previous to his suicide, that Mr. Evans was insolvent, and that he owed the Maverick bank $600,000 and had up $300,000 nominal collateral, and it was a settlement with the bank that his brother had arranged the day before the fatal act. It was represented to the bank that the house was only $35,000 under water, and if the bank would take the collateral, Mr. Evans' father and brother would make the amount good to the house and liquidate the creditors on the basis of 100 cents on the dollar. This settlement was executed a few days after Mr. Evans' death, and the bank directors voted to release Evans & Co. from all liability.

It is probable that the directors did not know the amount of the liability they were writing off. As the collaterals were worth but little more than $100,000, the loss taken by the bank upon this account is about $600,000, but if the bank was otherwise good, this loss should only have reduced the surplus by 50 per cent.

Mr. Potter says at the time of the settlement he was offered a release for any personal liability he might have with Evans & Co., and he declined because no such liability existed, nor had Mr. Evans any account upon which he was legally or morally responsible.

Mr. Tobey, a partner of Evans & Co., admits that he never sent a statement to Mr. Potter of the account upon which he believes Mr. Potter was liable.

Col. Albert A. Pope said last week that he had no evidence that Mr. Potter was responsible for Mr. Evans' suicide, but he believed it, and if the evidence was good the joint account would be collected if it took the roof off of some institution. Asa P. Potter was worth $750,000 a few years ago.

A Mother's Mistake.

Mothers frequently make a mistake in neglecting the Cough of a child. A Fort Wayne, Ind., lady writes: My little daughter, 6 years old, had a severe Cough, but as it was nothing unusual I thought nothing of it, and allowed it to run on for 4 or 5 weeks, when it became so obstinate she began losing flesh. I called in a physician, who treated her three weeks without benefit. A neighbor insisted upon my trying Ballard's Horehound Syrup; it relieved her from the first dose, and she began gaining flesh rapidly; when we had used two bottles her Cough had entirely disappeared. I would not be without it. It does not constipate my children. Ballard's Horehound Syrup is free from Opiates. It's the most soothing Throat and Lung medicine in the world. Price 50c and $1.00. Sold by Swearingen & Tyler. 2

MR. BALFOUR, the new Tory leader in the British House of Commons, is an accomplished player on the piano and violin.

A Fatal Mistake.

Physicians make no more fatal mistake than when they inform patients that nervous heart troubles come from the stomach and are of little consequence. Dr. Franklin Miles, the noted Indian specialist, has proven the contrary in his new book on "Heart Disease," which may be had free at W. C. Armstrong's, who guarantees and recommends Dr. Miles' unequaled New Heart Cure, which has the largest sale of any heart remedy in the world. It cures nervous and organic heart disease, short breath, fluttering, pain or tenderness in the side, arm or shoulder, irregular pulse, fainting, smothering, dropsy, etc. His Restorative Nervine cures headache, fits, etc. bm

"Centemeri" Kid Gloves in Black and Colors, at Linn & Scruggs' Dry Goods & Carpet Co.

WOOD PUMPS, Chain Pumps, Iron Force Pumps, for sale at Spencer & Lehman's. nov5-d&wtf

A NEWSPAPER HAS RIGHTS.

And One of Them is to Publish the Verdicts and Judgments of Courts.

GRAND RAPIDS, Mich., Nov. 3.—In the case of Elizabeth K. Sherwood vs. the Chicago & West Michigan Railroad Co., a decision has been handed down by the supreme court of Michigan. The newspapers published the fact that a verdict for $13,000 had been given in the first trial of the case while the second trial was in progress, and the counsel for the defense moved to have the publishers committed for contempt. The court denied the motion and the second trial ended in a verdict for the plaintiff for $15,000.

The supreme court in its decision affirming the verdict of the lower court, holds that the newspapers have a right to publish verdicts and judgments rendered in courts, and declares that no matter how prejudicial it may be to publish them at the time of trial no violation of the law is committed in so doing. The decision further states that the reading of such information by jurors does not render them incompetent.

The Remarkable Increase in Urban Rapid Transit Facilities.

NEW YORK, Nov. 3.—The Street Railway News of this city, in its issue of this week, will call attention to the remarkable increase in urban rapid transit facilities, as shown by the annual address of President Watson at the recent convention at Pittsburgh of the American Street Railway association. These figures show that in 1889 only 476 cities in the United States possessed rapid transit facilities. Now there is not a city with a population of 10,000 or over without its street railroad. In November last year 116,795 horses were employed on street railway lines; to-day only 88,114 are utilized for the purpose of car hauling—a loss of 28,681 in less than twelve months. Fifty-four cable lines are in operation against 422 electric and 537 animal; 1,003 companies are operating street railroads and 75 companies are building new lines.

A MAN who has practiced medicine for 40 years, ought to know salt from sugar; read what he says:

TOLEDO, O., Jan. 10, 1887.

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MR. GLADSTONE and his wife have determined to pass the winter in Florence.

A Little Girl's Experience in a Lighthouse.

Mr. and Mrs. Loren Trescott are keepers of the Gov. Lighthouse at Sand Beach, Mich., and are blessed with a daughter, four years old. Last April she was taken down with Measles, followed with a dreadful Cough and turning into a Fever. Doctors at home and at Detroit treated her, but in vain, she grew rapidly worse, until she was a mere "handful of bones."—Then she tried Dr. King's New Discovery and after the use of two and a half bottles, was completely cured. They say Dr. King's New Discovery is worth its weight in gold, yet you may get a trial bottle free at King & Wood's drug store. 6m

BISHOP HUNTINGDON, of the Episcopal Church, is farming near Hadley, Mass.

How to Succeed.

This is the great problem of life which few satisfactorily solve. Some fail because of poor health, others want of luck, but the majority from deficient grit—want of nerve. They are nervous, irresolute, changeable, easily get the blues and "take the spirits down to keep the spirits up," thus wasting money, time, opportunity and nerve force. There is nothing like the Restorative Nervine, discovered by the great specialist, Dr. Miles, to cure all nervous diseases as headache, the blues, nervous prostration, sleeplessness, neuralgia, St. Vitus dance, fits, and hysteria. Trial bottles and book of testimonials free at W. C. Armstrong's. bm

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FROM WASHINGTON.

Monthly Debt Statement by the Treasury Department.

A GREAT FALLING OFF IN RECEIPTS.

South America at the World's Fair—Capt. Schley's Action Defended—English Newspaper Charges Disproved—To Enlarge the National Park.

Monthly Debt Statement.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 3.—The monthly debt statement issued yesterday shows an increase in the aggregate of the debt during the last month amounting to $1,290,521. There was a reduction of $1,027,517 in the non-interest-bearing debt; an increase of $2,000 in the interest-bearing debt, and a decrease of $3,316,018 in the surplus cash in the treasury. The total of interest and non-interest-bearing debt to-day, less $89,671,920 net cash balance, or surplus, and the $100,000,000 gold reserve, is $840,638,036 Of this amount $585,026,720 is interest-bearing debt, made up of $359,662,220 four per cent., and $225,364,500 four and a half's continued at 2 per cent. The cash in the treasury to-day aggregates $710,530,358, made up of $263,774,741 in gold coin and bullion, $416,116,957 in silver coin and bullion, $15,763,780 in paper money and $29,874,762 deposited in national banks. Against this aggregate amount there are liabilities to meet gold and silver certificates in circulation, aggregating $560,270,410 and current liabilities amounting to $40,478,928. The gold coin and bullion fund in the treasury to-day aggregates $263,774,741, an increase of about nineteen millions during the past month; and the silver fund to-day amounts to $416,116,957, or about one million more than a month ago.

Government receipts from all sources, during the month of October, aggregated $28,550,652, against $40,315,890 in October, 1890. Customs receipts were last month $13,980,687, against $24,934,114 in October, 1890. Internal revenue receipts were $13,066,401, against $12,840,250 in October, 1890, and receipts from miscellaneous sources were $1,401,413, against $1,447,809 in October a year ago.

Expenses during the four months of the current fiscal year aggregated $416,280,859 or about $30,000,000 less than during July, August, September and October, 1890, while receipts for the past four months amounted to $119,740,995, or about $35,000,000 less than for the corresponding four months of 1890.

SENATOR PLUMB, of Kansas, is a hail fellow well met with everybody in the state, and makes a speech on every occasion, whether it be a wedding, baptism, corn husking or barbecue. He accepts all social invitations without regard to the politics of his host.

TENNYSON has taken a violent fancy to Ada Rehan, while she speaks with enthusiasm of the charm of the poet laureate's personality, of his health and of the enjoyment of life which he displays, though 82 years of age, some months older than Gladstone.

COL. WM. B. HOLLOWAY, once on Governor Morton's staff, and thus well-known to all Hoosier soldiers, will became the editor of the *American Tribune* of Indianapolis, a paper devoted to the interests of veterans.

HENRY M. STANLEY.

Henry M. Stanley, the African explorer, says that his trip through the dark forest was characterized by a curious instance of the evil influence upon the human system of the absence of the sun light. The slightest scratch upon the skin of one of his followers would be followed by ulcerous sores that would gangrene and finally result in the death of the victim. What is true of the dark forest is also true of pulmonary trouble, dyphtheria and kindred throat trouble which are the offsprings of dampness, too much shade, foul exhaulations from sewers and cess pools. One of the best remedies for these troubles is Reid's German Cough and Kidney Cure. It is in itself an anti-sceptic, is clean, purely wholesome, contains no poison, and is remarkably efficacious. For sale by all druggists.

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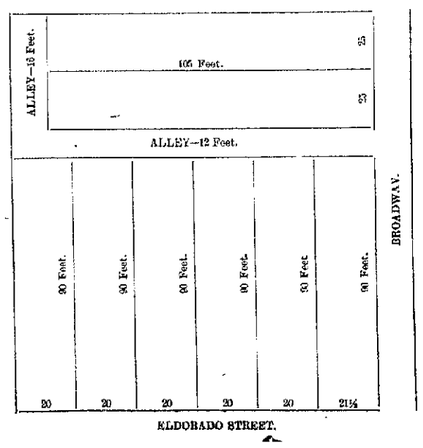
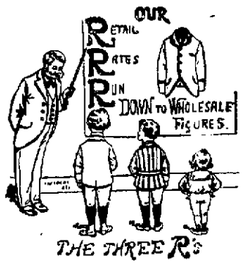
Sale to begin at 10 o'block a. m. TERMS—One-third cash and remainder on or before five years' time, with semi-annual interest at 6 per cent, secured by mortgage on the premises. Abstract of title furnished with each purchase. Lots will be first offered separately, after which the entire premises will be offered in one body. The larger aggregate will govern. Buildings will be sold at the same time separate from the realty. Terms for the buildings will be cash. Any further information may be had by application to F. L. HAYS.





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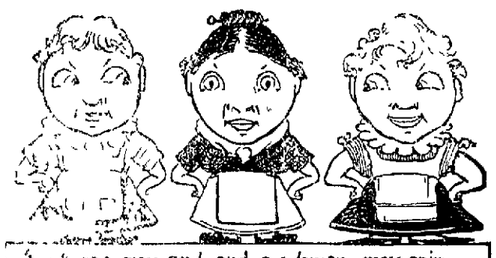

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Russia as Our Friend.

An article published in the New York *Sun* calls attention to some facts concerning Russia's past friendship for the United States that ought to be remembered and often referred to by our people. It is well remembered that Russia alone prevented France and England from recognizing the so called Confederacy during our late civil war, but aside from that it is also true that Russia has interfered in behalf of the United States several times before

It was the influence of Russia that forced George III and his Parliament to assent to the treaty of 1783 by which the independence of the colonies was recognized. It was the refusal of Russia to bar American vessels out of her ports that brought the wrath of Napoleon upon that country which culminathed in the invasion of 1812. When war was imminent on account of the Trent affair and England was preparing to send troops into contiguous and advantageous territory with the view of overawing this government or attacking it, her activity was checked by the sudden and unexpected appearance of Russian fleets in the harbors of New York and San Francisco The same friendship displayed in the affair just mentioned was continued during the Rebellion, which was effectual, as before mentioned, in preventing France and England recognizing the Confederacy

Russia is in position to again assist us In case war is declared against Chili by the United States it is almost certain that English interests there would cause her to interfere in behalf of Chili. Should she do this there is no doubt that Russia would again interfere in the interest of our government and force England to keep her hands off Russian recent alliance with France would serve a good purpose to that end. In case England should turn her attention to the relief of Chili in the event of war with this country, the Turkish Empire would be almost sure to suffer from Russian encroachment, which would mean a greater loss to England than any possible loss she might sustain in Chili through our attack upon that country

The people of this country should feel grateful to Russia for the favors she has extended to it in the hour of peril We should not criticise her form of government too severely, for after all it may be the only form by which the different unassimilating parts of that Empire can be held together

Tennessee's Convicts at Large.

The situation in Tennessee in relation to its convicts is most deplorable This result has grown out of its convict labor system, by which its convicts have been brought in competition with and in many cases misplacing free labor An attempt was not long since made to repeal the laws governing this obnoxious system, but the legislature, specially called in extraordinary session for that purpose, refused through the influence of Calvin S. Brice and other contractors of prison labor, to repeal the law Angered at this the free laborers from the mountains of that state have organized and are now engaged in setting free these convicts employed at long distances from the penitentiary within stockades for safety The first delivery was at Coal Creek and Briceville, where 320 convicts were set free, Yesterday morning another stockade was burned and 160 more convicts were turned loose upon the people. Other points are threatened and unless some compromise is effected every convicts out side of the penitentiary, in Tennessee, will be released by the organization of laboring men who proceed on the theory that their rights have been assailed by the State.

That they mean business is plain from the fact that it seems impossible to induce the militia to act as the result of its experience at Briceville in July when the miners captured both the militia and the convicts, loaded them in freight cars, and shipped them to Knoxville, after which they wrote the Governor, "We pocketed your militia once, we will chew them up next time"

It is due these laborers to say that they warned the Governor that unless the convicts were withdrawn from these contracts they would be set at liberty This warning was sent two or three months ago but the authorities refused to profit by it hence the result the state now suffers The system of convict labor in the South is a standing insult to free labor as much as slavery was when it existed The South must awake to the fact that labor is not degrading to the man who performs it, that labor has rights which must be respected, so long as free laborers are allowed to express their will at the ballot box

England's Bluster

It is now pretty generally conceded that England has been the power behind Chili's conduct for several years past, that she was at the bottom of the late revolution in Chili and is at the bottom of the enmity existing in that country toward the United States In the present difficulty growing out of the murder of American seamen in the streets of Valparaiso there is no doubt Chili feels that she can depend upon England for assistance She might as well learn, however, first as last that no matter what Englands attitude may be this country will not be at all influenced by it England is the well known commercial enemy of this country and seeks to cripple us at every opportunity and it would be strange, if in this affair, she were not against us

Her impudence is proverbial and her course in assuming that because Chili is weak and the United States strong this government should be very considerate is the merest stuff

In 1887 a British war ship was in port at Ariva, Honduras. A British sailor went ashore, got drunk and was locked up Upon demand of the captain of the ship that the sailor be released and an apology made, the sailor was released and because an apology was not made, the town was bombarded until the apology was promulgated. In 1870, Germany acted similarly with Nicaraugua on account of a similar offense adding a demand for $30,000 indemnity and a salute of the German flag, all of which were enforced. The United States knows what it is doing and Chili might as well come down first as last

ST. LOUIS *Globe-Democrat* Nobody knows the voting strength of the Mugwump element in New York. Some of the stalwart Democrats of the State have contended all along that that faction hurt rather than helped their party, and these men now pretend to be pleased at its defection There are Republicans, too, who believe, or who say they believe, that their party is better off without the Mugwumps than with them They aver that the Independent support bestowed on Davenport, the Republican candidate for Governor in 1885, elected Hill There is no ready or satisfactory way of testing the truth of this assertion The figures, however, show that Hill's lead in that year was only a little over 11,000, while it was 19 000 in 1888 The probability, indeed, is that neither the Democratic nor the Republican disparagement of the potency of the Mugwump has been altogether sincere

ROSWELL P FLOWER, the Democratic candidate for governor of New York, is rich but illiterate His money secured him the nomination Following is a verbatim report of a speech delivered by him a few nights ago at Beethoven Hall, N Y

"The committee and Fellow Citizens I am glad that your committee drawed me away from an important engagement tonight as I am pleased to see this audience before me and you will have to excuse me as I am not prepared to speak but I promised your committee I would come here and I am one of those Democrats to keep my party promises and there will be many able speakers to speak to you to night therefore I bid you all good evening"

THE free traders everywhere have been claiming that the prices of carpets have advanced under the McKinley tariff Mr Lyman, a Democrat and carpet dealer of Boston, has written a letter in which he said "Prices have tumbled about their ears, much to their disgust If excessive American competition, started recklessly into existence by the McKinley bill, has reduced prices, it seems to a manufacturer more injurious than the former English competition If protection reduces prices as speedily as they have fallen since the McKinley bill, manufacturers have had enough of it"

THERE are no prominent Democrats who would rather be right than be President That class of Democratic leaders have become extinct The leaders of the party assume to favor anything that will win votes, whether it is free silver or honest money, free trade or protection free whiskey or prohibition no matter, any or all of these wherever they can be used,

THE Chilian authorities have asked our Government to allow the sailors who escaped the vengeance of the Valparaiso mob to testify before the secret tribunal that is investigating the outrage. Secretary Blaine, it is understood, refuses to accede to their request unless the investigation is held with open doors

"OLD HUTCH" has paid $900 for a seat on the New York Produce Exchange Well-known men in the business anticipate great acting in the pit on the part of this new member

THE receipts of grain at Duluth for the year ending October 32 were 24,870 106, against 9,747,999 for the previous year.

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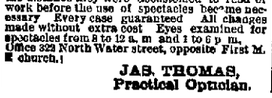

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For Sale, For Rent, Wanted, Etc.

FOR SALE—A first-class hard coal base burner for particulars inquire of DAVID MARTIN, at 967 North Morgan street. Nov 2 d1w

DANCING—Prof R B Leonard, member of the National Association of Teachers of Dancing of the United States and Canada, respectfully informs all whom it may concern that he will be ready to give private and class lessons in dancing on and after Thursday, Nov 5, at the hall of the Order of Red Men, 233 North Main street opposite the Syndicate Block Children's classes every afternoon Terms $1 per month An explanation may be necessary as to the meaning of the association of teachers Its object is to place the teaching of dancing on a higher plane than it has heretofore occupied Every member has to go under an examination and a certificate is a guarantee of his ability The Leonard assemblies that were so popular when the professor was here before will be revived at an early date Applications may be made to Mr Will Leiby or Prof Leonard All the new dances exemplified at the assemblies n2d6

FOR SALE—At a big bargain, if taken within the next 20 days a large 12 room house, gas water and sewerage, on West Wood street Must be sold at a sacrifice Also several other special bargains Apply to J S Campbell, office over Citizens National Bank 31d6*

LOST—Near the depot, a pocket book containing $15 and some papers. The finder will be liberally rewarded by returning book and money to this office 31d1w*

WANTED—A good Horse shoer and good all work blacksmith JOHN DOUGLAS, Beason, Logan county, Ill oct31-d1w*

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FOR SALE OR TRADE—A controlling interest in the Post Office Shoe Store Reason want to change my business H W Waggoner oct29d1f

WANTED—A position as book keeper in Decatur The applicant is now one of the principal book keepers in the largest lumber company in the United States Has an experience of eight years Can give testimonials of honesty, competency and rapidity Address G REPUBLICAN office oct28 d2w*

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WANTED—Second hand stoves and furniture, for which we will pay cash Bargain in second hand goods WALKER & CHANGE, aug24-d1f 135 and 137 North Main St.

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To the Unknown Heirs of said estate and to John Stickel, Mas Stickel, Ola Shimer, B. H. Seward, F. W. Dempsey and L F. Butler.

You are hereby notified that on Monday, the seventh day of December, 1891 the administrator of the estate of said deceased, will present to the County Court of Macon county, at Decatur, Illinois, his final report of his acts and doings as such administrator, and ask the court to be discharged from any and all further duties and responsibilities connected with said estate and his administration thereof, at which time and place you may be present and resist such application, if you choose so to do, and the above named persons who have filed claims against said estate, and which have been disallowed by me, are notified that on Monday, November 30th 1891, I will apply to said court for the final section of said claims when and where you can appear and resist the same if you see fit.

[Signed] ALBERT BARNES,
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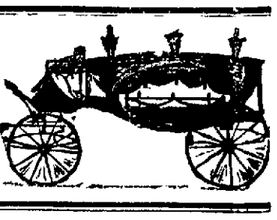

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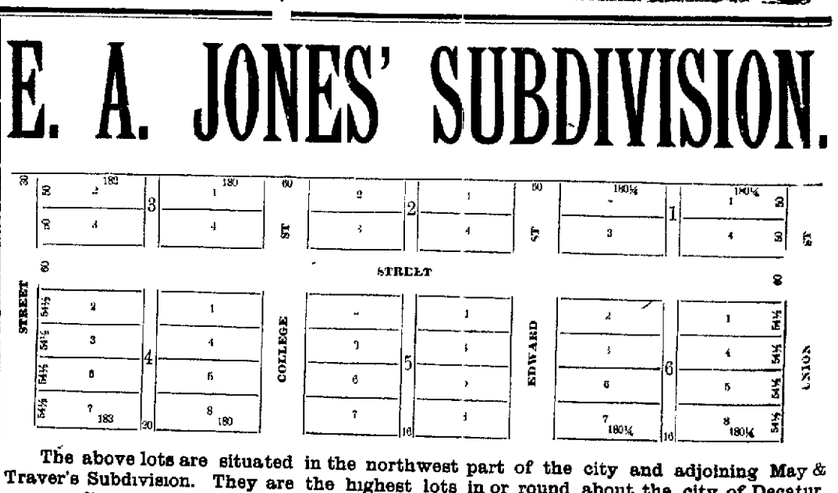

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LOCAL AND GENERAL NEWS.

LUNCH at Wood's.

DENZ & SON, tailors.

TRY those elegant dinners and lunches at W. A. Combs' restaurant.

SALTED almonds at Wood's.

SMOKE the old reliable R. & W. cigars. mar25-dtf

THE Shellabarger White Loaf flour is made in Decatur. Use it.

SPLENDID groceries and fine fruits at Hanks & Co.'s store 143 South Water street.

THE Joe Michl cigars—the new Little Rose and Bouquet smoker—can be had anywhere in the city.

LARGE and complete assortment of fruits every day at May & Churchman's grocery store.

DERTZ & SON, contracting brick layers, 123 Merchant street. jan14-dtf

PICK OUT one of those Haines Upright pianos at C. B. Prescott's music store. All are first-class.

OYSTERS by the can and in bulk at May & Churchman's grocery store.

BLANK & GRASS is the place to buy your Paints, Wall Paper and Window Shades. apr25-dtf

OYSTERS in all styles every hour at Combs' restaurant.

BEAUTIFUL MANTELS, at very reasonable prices, at Lytle & Eckels Hardware Company. tf

THE Grand Opera House cigars, made by Keck & Weigand, are the best in town. mar25-dtf

STRICTLY pure candies, at living prices at Harry's Kandy Kitchen.

USE Decatur nut coal at $1.30 per ton, delivered. Send orders by telephone. Call up Nos. 89, 109 or 227. oct12-dtf

THE finest candies in the city at Wood's.

GROUT & HOFFMAN, 233 North Main street, are making extra inducements on Heating and Cook Stoves. Call and see them. oct28-dtf

☞ STOP in at Cool Brothers grocery store "on the way down town or home", at 217 North Main street, and order table supplies. Prompt delivery.

DERTZ & SON, Contracting Brick Layers; office with Hunter Bros., real estate agents, 123 Merchant street. Estimates given on all kinds of brick work. j14-dtf

SANDWICHES and coffee at Wood's.

THE first fall of the beautiful snow in flitting fleecy flakes came this morning, just enough to remind us that old winter is close at hand. There was heavy snowing in the northwest yesterday.

WE shall make it interesting for the natives this year, not only in English dinner wares, but in *Haviland, Carlsbad* and *Vienna* goods. More decorations and shapes than you can find in the "crockery store." O. E. CURTIS & BRO.

"ONE touch of Nature makes the whole world kin." Diseases common to the race compel the search for a common remedy. It is found in Ayer's Sarsaparilla, the reputation of which is world-wide, having largely superseded every other blood medicine in use.

"ANGEL OF NIGHT" is what Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup has been termed by parents, whose worrying and coughing children have been soothed and cured, and have secured sweet slumber by using this excellent remedy. Price only 25 cents a bottle.

Frosted feet may be cured in one to two days by the use of Salvation Oil, the great pain-destroyer.

OUR *Art Room* has begun to put on its Christmas appearance, and contains so many unique and beautiful things in Cut Glass, Bronze, Brass, Onyx, *Royal Worcester, Belecn, Daulton, Adderlee, Coalport* and all the celebrated makes of Fancy Porcelains that we cannot tell you about them. You are invited to visit it. OTTO E. CURTIS & BRO.

FRANK ROBBINS, deputy city clerk, was on duty last evening at the city council meeting, in the absence of City Clerk Skelley, who is off on a vacation down in the wilds of Missouri chasing the fleeing deer, and with Deputy Sheriff Midkiff and others keeping out of the way of the sociable bear. Frank did very well as a reader. He has a good voice. The aldermen had no trouble in hearing every word as he read the minutes, the reports, bills and other papers.

MRS. SEDGWICK'S juvenile dancing classes will have a lesson on Saturday and Wednesday of each week. The Wednesday lesson at 4:30 will have in addition to the dancing lesson a full set of physical culture exercises introduced. Children not belonging to the dancing classes may join this Wednesday class for $2 for a term of 10 weeks. The tuition for both lessons will be $4 for 10 weeks. Parents should see Mrs. Sedgwick at her room on North Park street on Wednesday or Thursday afternoons, Nov 4. and 5. Ladies wishing to join afternoon or evening physical culture classes should see Mrs. Sedgwick at that time. Tuition for beginners in evening dancing classes will be $4 for a 10 weeks term. Special terms to clubs. oct28-d3t

The First Step.

Perhaps you are run down, can't eat can't sleep, can't think, can't do anything to your satisfaction, and you wonder what ails you. You should heed the warning, you are taking the the first step into Nervous Prostration. You need a Nerve Tonic and in Electric Bitters you will find the exact remedy for restoring your nervous system to its normal, healthy condition. Surprising results follow the use of this great Nerve Tonic and Alterative. Your appetite returns, good digestion is restored, and the Liver and Kidneys resume healthy action. Try a bottle. Price 50c at King & Wood's Drug Store. 6m

THE population now ruled by Queen Victoria is 367,000,000—a greater number of people than ever acknowledged the sovereignty of any other person in either ancient or modern times.

Miles' Nerve and Liver Pills.

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FOR nearly a year Alphonse Daudet has been away from Paris and in seclusion. He returned to Paris the other day with two plays and novels which he had written during his absence.

MY wife was so badly afflicted with rheumatism as to be unable to move in bed without assistance. Our druggist, Mr. Laddemus, recommended Chamberlain's Pain Balm, which greatly relieved her. We have used six bottles at various times, and would not be without it at hand.—JAS. COLEMAN, Lowell, Neb. 50 bottles, sold by W. F. Neisler, druggist.

NEW YORK has only two ex-Governors living—Cornell and Cleveland—but it would have three did the present one elected to the Senate, recognize the proprieties of the situation.

THE CITY LEGISLATURE.

First November Meeting of the Council—Routine Business.

The fourteen aldermen from the seven wards in the city and Mayor Chambers were present at the regular meeting of the council held last night. It was a quiet meeting, devoted exclusively to routine business, with only two side items to excite a little talk. Frank Robbins, the deputy, was at the clerk's desk, and at his side was City Attorney McDonald to see that business went smoothly. The minutes were read and approved.

Because of the alleged change of the natural water course by the paving of South Webster street, Edna Lindsey, through her attorney, J. J. Finn, complained of damage to the Lindsey property. The lady placed damages at $500 and asked immediate payment, or proceedings in court would begin within 30 days. Referred to the street and alley committee.

The Citizens' Electric Railway company presented a bill for $63.10 for payment. It is money paid out by the company for water hauled to their power house while the 16-inch water main was being laid on North Broadway. While the work was in progress the company was deprived of the use of the works and had to haul water. It was suggested that the company might be allowed a rebate on its water rate, and with that understanding the bill was laid aside.

The plat of the lots sold recently by the St. John's Episcopal church was approved.

Superintendent Barnett reported 62,000,000 gallons water pumped in October. Marshal Mason's report for October showed 72 arrests. The report of Engineer Burgess on the completion of the sewer lateral in the alley between Main and Church streets, the city's share being $213.92, was referred to the public improvement committee.

The bid of the H. Mueller company to build the sewer lateral in the alley between William and Prairie streets from Broadway to Jackson, at 67 cents per foot, was accepted on the report of the committee.

It was ordered that Contractors Dempsey & Giblin be paid the city's portion of the expense of paving the three blocks on East Eldorado street.

David Park, street superintendent, reported $1,874 50 expended in the departments in October. Placed on file.

City Treasurer Davis reported to Nov. 1, a balance of $22,358.74 in the general fund.

The committee reported the right of way for the extension of the Broadway and Jasper street sewers, 900 feet, and the papers were ordered placed on record.

The licenses of 41 saloon keepers were renewed for three months.

BIDS.

Bids were received and read for the construction of a lateral sewer in the alley between Eldorado and North streets from Calhoun west to the Illinois Central railroad. George Geis, 46 cents per foot; A. F. Gephart & Co., 52 cents per foot; H. Mueller Plumbing and Heating company, 46½ cents per foot. The contract was awarded to Geis.

RESOLUTIONS.

By Seeforth: That the special assessments levied against lot E in Smith & Co.'s addition, amounting to $30 for the extension of an alley, be cancelled. Adopted.

By Montgomery: That a release be executed of a mortgage bearing date October 20, 1886, which was given Lindsey Jones. Adopted.

By Seeforth: That the concrete walk in front of Harpstrite Bros'. building, on North Water street, be built according to agreement, providing Harpstrite Bros. advance the money, which shall be returned out of the first appropriation for sidewalk purposes. Adopted.

By Seeforth: That a carpet be purchased for No. 1 hose house. Lost.

By Scanlon: Whereas, The ordinance granting the Decatur Street Railway a franchise, provided that they shall run a car over the entire line every fifteen minutes, and, Whereas, the same company fails to do so, be it

Resolved, That the city marshal notify the proper officers of said company to comply with Section 15 of the ordinance within ten days, and upon refusal or neglect to comply the city attorney shall immediately enforce such penalty as the ordinance prescribes. Adopted.

NEW BUSINESS.

An ordinance was read and laid over for a sewer lateral in the alley between Eldorado and North streets, extending from Jasper to Chisholm streets.

Alderman May, of the public improvement committee, presented a resolution for payment of rebates in certain public improvements, and it was adopted. It referred to the Bradford street sewer lateral and the pavement on Decatur, Union and Eldorado streets. In all these cases the assessments were too high. The rebate on the sewer lateral will be $5.40 for each forty foot lot, but the exact amount is not known in the street paving cases.

Adjourned.

Hyde's Vaudeville.

The Grand opera house will no doubt be crowded Thursday evening to witness the performance of the Hyde Vaudeville company, at present the finest company of the kind on the road, on its annual tour through this section of the country. The company comprises Joe Hayden and Miss Queenie Hetherton, descriptive vocalists and portrayers of refined repartee; the Weston Bros., original musical kings in their character sketch, "A Nigger in Italy;" James F. Hoey, the eccentric comedian, in his great burlesque, ventriloquistic act and funny sayings, entitled "Gaglets;" Saunders and Randell in their farcial absurdity, "The Old Time Bill Poster;" James M'Avoy, in his original parodies on popular songs; Imro Fox, the comic conjurer; the Le Fre trio in their original pantommist sketch, "A gentleman Scamp," with elegant trick scenery and effects, and last but not least Arlene Mora, the greatest living female baritone singer.

AFTER FORTY YEARS.—"My father had a fever sore on his leg for forty years; but has been permanently cured by Chamberlain's Eye and Skin Ointment, after trying all other remedies in vain," says Mr. S. Whitsell, a gun of locksmith, at Fort Madison, Iowa. He further says: "The spot where the sore was, is now perfectly clean as any other part. He used three 25 cent boxes in all." ANOTHER!—Mr. D. A. Barr, Druggist, Blackburn, Mo., says: "I have personal knowledge of a case of chronic sore eyes of many years standing, having been cured by Chamberlain's Eye and Skin Ointment. The party was Mr. Seth Moore, north of this place." Mr. Moore says the ointment was worth more than a thousand dollars to him. It cost him 25 cents. For sale by W. F. Neisler, druggist.

GEORGE WILLIAM CURTIS has again enrolled his name in the Republican column. He says: "I shall vote the Republican ticket this fall. In politics I regard myself as an independent, but when it comes to a choice as between Tammany Hall and its powerful organization on the one hand, and the Republicans on the other, I can have no hesitation."

A farmer near Albia, Iowa, by the name of J. H. Wolf, has found a sure cure for croup. He says: "For the last eight years I have recommended Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for croup. Half of a fifty cent bottle will cure the worst case, if taken in time. On the 20th of this month, my boy, four years old, had the croup very bad and three doses cured him. I would not be without it in my family." If the remedy is given as soon as the child becomes hoarse, it will invarably prevent the croup. 50 cent bottles for sale by W. F. Neisler.

DR. REED'S foot lotion cures offensive perspiration; sold at Irwin's Pharmacy oct29-dtf

PEDRO ROSA, the Italian senator and archaeologist is dead, at the age of 76.

Comic Opera.

Mr. Edwin Chapman is a general favorite in "The Pearl of Pekin," and he has a host of friends in this city who will be glad to hear that in "Tyfoo" he has one of the best comedy roles in which he has ever appeared. Miss Irene Verona, the original "Finette," is in the cast, and for tivacity, action and looks she cannot be excelled. The "Pearl of Pekin is enacted by Miss Ida Stumbler. She has a beautiful voice, is petite of figure and handsome of face, and has made a decided impression wherever she has appeared and has proven to be a great society favorite The entire performance is artistic, and the choruses are rendered by some of the prettiest and most shapely girls ever seen upon the stage—taken all in all it will prove to be one of the strongest attractions that has appeared here this season. Our advice to our readers is, don't fail to go and see this Chinese comic opera, and you will then see the tallest living Chinese giant, "Ha-Kee," who is over 8 feet high. At the Grand to-morrow night.

Death of Mrs. Joseph Weinmann.

Mrs. Adeline Weinmann, wife of Joseph Weinmann, who had been in poor health for a number of years and was stricken with paralysis Sunday night, died at 12 o'clock last night the family home, corner of West North and Monroe streets, aged 57 years, 10 months and 10 days. She leaves a husband and four children, two daughters in Decatur, a son at Waterville, Wash., and a son in California. Mr. Weinmann is a member of Jacob Shaffer Post, G. A. R., Minneapolis, Minn., and of Washington Lodge No. 41, Odd Fellows, Fairbault, Minn. An invitation is extended to Grand Army men and Odd Fellows to attend the funeral which will take place from the residence Thursday forenoon at 10 o'clock. The remains will be placed temporarily in the receiving vault at Greenwood cemetery.

It's a Roarer.

Something new is to appear here Saturday evening, November 7, under the title of "O'Dowd's Neighbors". It is said to be an operatic farce comedy. At any rate it was intended to amuse and entertain. If we judge from what the papers say there will be no mistake in taking it in. There are some very clever singers in the company, among whom we find Miss Ethel Lynton, Miss Archmere, Miss Whitemoore and Messrs. Durham, Broderick, Patterson and MacPherson. These produce such work as the sextette from "Lucia di Lammermoor" and other good things. Murphy and Ryan, the funny fellows, succeed in keeping up the flow of fun.

Funeral of Judge Ricketts.

The funeral services over the remains of the late Judge John Ricketts were held yesterday afternoon at the Christian church, the pastor, Rev. E. B. Cake, and Rev. Miller, of the First M. E. church, officiating. Macon Lodge of Masons, No. 3, attended in a body. The choir, composed of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Putterson, Rev. Cake and daughter, rendered several appropriate selections. The floral offerings were many and very beautiful. The pallbearers were Walter Hutchin, E. E. Gibson, F. L. Ball, A. J Wood, P. H. Jones and Chas. Lindsay. Burial at Greenwood.

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Reception To-Night.

Hundreds of citizens have been invited to assemble at the Y. M. C. A. rooms to-night. The invitation is as follows:

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Wood request the pleasure of your company at the reception given to the members and friends of the Young Men's Christian Association, in honor of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Brown, Tuesday, November 3, 1891, from 8 until 10 o'clock, at the Association building, corner of Main and Merchant streets.

SECRET SOCIETY MEETINGS.

MASONIC.

Special convocation of Macon Chapter, No. 21, R. A. Masons, this (Thursday) evening, at 7:30 o'clock sharp. All companions in regular standing are invited.

GEO R. BACON, H P.

N. L. KRONE, Sec.

I. O. O. F.

Regular meeting of Decatur Lodge, No. 95 this (Tuesday) evening at 7:30 o'clock at Odd Fellows' hall Members of the Degree Staff are requested to be present for drill Visiting brethren are cordially invited to meet with us.

CHAS. D BEVAN, N. G.

I. N. MARTIN, JR., Secy.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS.

Regular convention of Chevalier Bayard Lodge No. 189, K. of P. at Castle Hall, Library Block, this (Tuesday) evening, at 8 o'clock sharp, for work in Third degree. Resident and visiting knights cordially invited.

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New Firm.

Grout & Co., of Barry Ill., having bought out W. E. Hubbard's interest in the hardware firm of Hubbard & Hoffman, the new firm will continue the business at the old stand 233 North Main street, under the firm name of Grout & Hoffman.

I have not sold out as reported but can be found at the old stand ready to wait on all my friends as in the past. Come and see me. Yours

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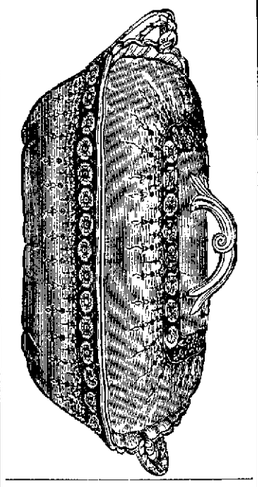

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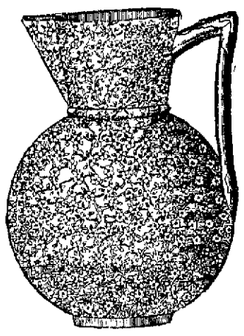

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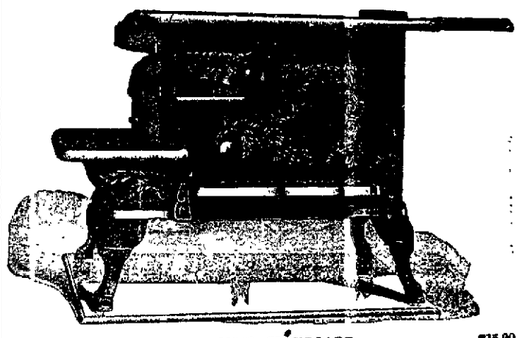

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4 lbs. Fine Combination Coffee	1.00	2 " String Beans, 3 cans for	25c
3 lbs. Gunpowder Tea for	1.00	2 " Marrowfat Peas, 4 cans	25c
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RECEPTION to-night in the rooms of the Young Men's Christian Association.

FRUITS for canning in quantities to suit at May & Churchman's grocery store.

TELEPHONE to 89, 109 or 227 for Decatur nut coal, at $1.30 per ton, delivered.

THE Decatur agent for the Remington Standard Typewriter is J. J. H. Young, at the REPUBLICAN office. dtf

ABEL'S CARPET HOUSE is closing out remnants of carpets, oil cloth and wall paper at less than value. o19d&w1m

CALL on Grout & Hoffman, 283 North Main street, for bargains in Heating and Cook stoves; also general hardware.

THE election returns by telegraph will be received at the REPUBLICAN office to-night. Come around and hear the news.

PERFUME YOUR PARLORS with INCENSE. You can get it at our art room. OTTO E. CURTIS & BRO.

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MARRIAGE licenses have been issued to William Schumacher of Shelby county, and Miss Clara Clara Meyer, of Decatur, and to Robert B. Tollman, of Sibley, Ford county, Ill., and Miss Kate Clesson, of Decatur.

TO-DAY George W. Ehrhart & Co. unloaded a carload of genuine Florida oranges—not Louisiana oranges packed in Florida boxes—but the real oranges, direct from the Florida groves. Dealers, place your orders at once.

THE consciousness of having a remedy at hand for croup, pneumonia, sore throat, and sudden colds, is very consoling to a parent. With a bottle of Ayer's Cherry Pectoral in the house, one feels, in such cases, a sense of security nothing else can give.

OLIVER MASTERSON was running to catch the North Edward street car last evening when he stumbled and fell to the ground, striking on and dislocating his right shoulder. Dr. R. L. Walston was called and gave him the required attention.

YESTERDAY afternoon as administrator of the estate of Ann Johnson, the colored lady who was burned to death last summer on South Main street, J. B. Bullard sold the personal property at auction. It brought $11.60. In time the lot, which has a frontage of 100 feet, but the depth is 60 to 40 feet, will also be sold at auction.

IF YOU *expect to decorate White China for Christmas* come early and make your selections while the line is full. We have the most beautiful line you ever saw, but as these goods are imported we cannot duplicate them after they are gone, without consuming several months. OTTO E CURTIS & BRO.

THERE has been a marked change in the arrangement of the desks for the 14 aldermen at the city council room. Instead of being placed in the form of a square, the desks are turned so that each alderman will face the mayor and can be seen and heard without difficulty. The new arrangement gives the room the appearance of being crowded. Decatur ought to have larger quarters for the city clerk and council. Why not build a city hall?

A Thorough Renovating.

A caller at the Pacific Express company's depot office to-day would see what has not been seen before for five years, or longer. The rooms are receiving a general and thorough cleaning out. Especially is this the case in the sleeping apartments. Henceforth they will post a sign over the door leading to the room which will read: "No bedbugs need apply." These specimens of live stock had grown so bold and strong that they have been known to carry the cots out to the messengers on a warm summer evening. But to-day their lease expired and they had to go. The large room and office is to be painted, and when the clerk was asked the color he said: "We will decorate this room with paint of an inflammatory hue on the strength of McKinley's election in Ohio."

A Sound Liver Makes a Well Man.

Are you Bilious, Constipated or troubled with Jaundice, Sick Headache, Bad Taste in Mouth, Foul Breath, Coated Tongue, Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Hot, Dry Skin, Pain in Back and Between the Shoulders' Chills and Fever, &c. If you have any of these symptoms, your Liver is out of order and your blood is slowly being poisoned, because your Liver does not act properly. Herbine will cure any disorder of the Liver, Stomach or Bowels. It has no equal as a Liver Medicine. Price, 75 cents. Sold by Swearingen & Tyler. d&w

AT THE BAR OF JUSTICE.

Elmer E. Walsh, the Barber, on Trial For Abduction.

The case of Elmer E. Walsh, the barber, indicted for the abduction of Tillie May, an unmarried female, for immoral purposes, was called up for trial in the circuit court this forenoon. As has already been stated, at the time of the offense, Walsh represented himself to be a single man, when it was generally understood that he had a wife and child, who had left him and had gone to St. Louis. He got Tillie to take a buggy ride with him, and on the way to Macon, it is alleged, that Walsh took liberties with her, and caused her to drink something which caused her to become insensible until she had reached a point near Macon. The People are represented by States' Attorney Mills, and Attorney Charles Leforgee is counsel for the defendant. Walsh looks none the worse for his long confinement in the county jail. He looks as much a dandy as ever and wears a white handkerchief in the upper left hand pocket of his coat. The end of the handkerchief peeps out jauntily. The chief prosecuting witness is Tillie May. She was on the stand this afternoon and told her story of the eventful night about as related in these columns at the time. The jurymen selected are: James Chapman, Jerome Huff, B. F. Benedict, Rufus Crossman, W. H. Hawkyard, William F. Martin, James H. Montgomery, B. F. Price, Robert Glenn, Henry England, M. A. Ferry and C. Colwell.

GIVEN SIX MONTHS IN JAIL.

William Lavene, tried for burglary and larceny, was given a sentence of six months in the county jail by the jury. Lavene was successfully defended by Attorney McCoy, who is well satisfied that the young man did not get a term in Joliet. Lavene is also pleased with the verdict.

PEOPLE'S DOCKET.

People vs. George Maples and Harry Cooper, burglary and petit larceny, two cases; plea of guilty entered; each sentenced to the penitentiary for two years for burglary, one day in jail and fined $1.00 each for petit larceny

People vs. Harry Cooper, attempt to suborn perjury; nolle entered

CHANCERY DOCKET.

Jay B. Campbell, et al vs. F. H. Wood et al; partition. Exceptions to master's report overruled and cross-exceptions allowed as to advancement item, and overruled as to rest. Decree of partition and commissioners appointed.

Temperance at the Court House.

Mr. Dunn's second talk on temperance called out a large audience at the Court house last evening. After a hymn was sung by the choir and congregation, Mr. Dunn read the first Psalm and Rev. J. A. King offered prayer. Mr. Dunn began by giving a brief review of what he had said concerning the nature of the meetings on Sunday afternoon. The speaker expressed much regret at the lack of earnestness on the part of the people in regard to the great question of the day; the workers are not enlisted in the hearty manner that they should be; there should be more genuine sympathy for the unfortunate. He said "I could read of a railroad wreck without its leaving any lasting impression on my mind until my own little son John of twelve years was killed by the cars. This opened the flood gates of sympathy in such a manner that never since have I been able to read of such scenes without visiting the awful place in fancy and listening to the dying groans. This my friends is what I mean by earnestness and sympathy. He made a strong and brotherly appeal to the drinking man encouraging him to get upon his feet and be all that God desires him to be. Space forbids to report many good things the speaker said. The pledge was presented and about fifty-three names were left on the roll. A number of boys in their teens were among the signers.

Mr. Dunn was encouraged by having a number of ministers present. They came to the front and cheered all hearts by their presence. Among the number we noticed Rev. J. A. F. King, Cake, Penhallegon, Wood, Hawes, Crane, E. W. Moore and a strange minister who accompanied Elder Hawes. At the close Mr. Dunn suggested that a committee of gentlemen be appointed to relieve the ladies who had borne the burden of arranging for the meetings. The following gentlemen were appointed, T. T. Roberts, J. A. Roney, W. C. Outten, Ayres Leforgee, Rev. J. A. F. King, J. E. Saxton, Dr. E. W. Moore and D. L. Bunn. The Doxology was then sung and the audience was dismissed by Rev. J. A. F. King.

Meeting to-night at 7:30. All are cordially invited.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Guy J. Parke has returned from New York City.

Ald. R. B. Montgomery is in Chicago on business.

O. L. Milburn went to Leona to-day on business.

Mrs. M. J. Mahannah is visiting relatives in Mt. Zion.

Mrs. Frank Elwood and Miss Lulu Elwood are visiting friends in Chicago.

Mrs. Albert Barnes and Miss Mollie Barnes are visiting friends in Chicago.

Bob Ferguson, the insurance agent, visited Springfield yesterday on business.

Ira A. Jones, of Indianapolis, is the guest of his sister, Mrs. D. W. Heilman.

Berry Ennis, of Chicago, is the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Ennis.

Miss Frances Grimes, who has been at Annapolis, Md., visiting Mrs. C. B. Moore, has returned home.

Hon. W. G. Cochran, of Sullivan, had legal business with Justice Curtis to-day. He paid the REPUBLICAN a call.

Mrs. William Phelps and Mrs. William Taggart, of Carlinville, are in the city visiting Dr. and Mrs. S. H. Swain.

Lou Abel, the decorator, went to Bethany to-day to contract for the work of papering a large residence in that city.

Miss Anna Pegram, of Lincoln, accompanied by Miss Helen Summers, arrived in the city to-day to visit her sister, Mrs. A. T. Summers.

Springfield *News*: Prof. Otto Soldan, who came to this country from Germany about a year ago, has arrived with his wife in this city, which he intends making his home in the future. He is a professor of music, particularly the violin, and is highly spoken of by musicians who know him. He is evidently a man who will make many friends. He lives at No. 211½ North Fifth Street.

Carter Harrison and the Times.

Carter H. Harrison, who has purchased and taken charge of the Chicago *Times*, announces that he will make the *Times* a lively paper, upholding and supporting good government on the line of Democracy. He says it will have no hobbies to ride, no crotchets to uphold, and no axes to grind of any kind. For Carter this seems considerable of a contract.

LOUISA CLARK CHANDLER, mother of the au[illegible]or, Louise Chandler Moulton, die[illegible] [illegible]onday night at the age of 78.

Business Corner at Auction.

In another column of this issue it will be found that Major F. L. Hays has platted his residence property at the northwest corner of North Broadway and East Eldorado street, across the street west of the Finn & Delahunty block, and will sell the new business block at auction on Tuesday, November 17th, two weeks from to-day. There are eight lots in the plat, six fronting south on Eldorado street, and two east on Broadway. The corner lot on Eldorado is 21½x90 feet, and the other five are each 20x90 feet. The two lots fronting on Broadway are each 25x105½ feet. A private alley 12 feet wide extends at the rear of the 90-foot lots and passes around the rear of the two lots fronting on Broadway into the city alley, making all of the lots accessible and very desirable for business purposes. The lots are centrally located, on the way to the depot, and on the line of the Citizens' electric street railway, and only a block from the Short line. The lots will be sold singly and then in a bunch, the highest bid to take the property. In years past the Major has been solicited to sell the corner. Now he is ready. Be present on Nov. 17 if you want a bargain.

Ordination Services.

Rev. J. T. Finley was ordained as an elder in the Universal Church of God Sunday morning, at James' Chapel. The ordination was done by two elders, Rev. W. M. B. Colt, of the Free Methodist church, and Rev. A. Bradshaw, of the Independent Methodist church of James' Chapel. The following was the service used:

My Dear Brother: Your brethren of the James' Chapel church being convinced by your life and labors that you are called of God to the office and work of the Christian ministry, and being recommended by them as a suitable person to be ordained elder, so we, in pursuance of their recommendation, as elders in the Church of God, have the authority by the imposition of our hands to set you apart to the office and work of the Christian ministry. We recognize in you the authority to execute the office of an elder in the Church of God, and to do whatever appertains to the work of the Christian ministry by virtue of the divine call you have evinced, and we now ordain you elder in the Church of God, by the imposition of our hands. In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost Amen May the annointing of the Holy One ever rest upon you as a minister of Jesus Christ. Amen.

Wabash Baggage Work.

Daniel Myers, chief baggage man for the Wabash, and his assistants, Milton Bivins and Charles Borg, did great work for the Wabash during the month of October, handling a total of 6,965 pieces of baggage, an average of a fraction over 232 a day. The statement for the month is as follows:

Number of pieces received at Decatur	1899
" " " forwarded from Decatur	2866
Number of pieces transferred to Wabash connecting lines	300
Estimated transfers to Wabash trains only	1900
Total	6965

In the above no figures are given on company supplies handled, no small item in the course of a month.

Sales of Real Estate.

William H. Rhegenness to Elizabeth H. Regenness, deed to lot 12, Warren & Co.'s 5th addition—$2600.

D. H. Dunbar to Jacob Waltz, deed to 3½ acres in 5, 14, 1 east, and lot 11, block 22, in Blue Mound—$3000.

Albert Barnes to Thomas Clark, deed to lot 4, block 3, Cassell's 4th addition—$2000.

William S. Grubbs to Ellen M. Lyons, deed to lot 9, block 1, Brueck's addition $400.

Riverside Card Club.

A number of ladies and gentlemen residing in Riverside Park met last night at the residence of Mrs. M. E. Mills and organized a card club. The name of the new organization is the Riverside Card Club, and there will be another meeting held soon to adopt a constitution and elect officers. It is expected that the number of members will be about twenty.

Death from Diphtheria.

Jessie, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Glessner, died this morning at 3 o'clock, at the house of her parents, No. 626 North Calhoun street, of diphtheria, aged 5 years 11 months and 8 days. The funeral will take place to-morrow afternoon at 1:30 o'clock from the residence.

Change of Residence.

Dr. S. C. Ham, formerly of Decatur, who has been in the drug business at Clay Center, Kan, for a number of years, has sold out, and has located permanently at Auburn, in Sangamon county, Ill. where he has engaged in the practice of his profession. His REPUBLICAN will be read at Auburn hereafter.

Steam's Up.

The Hatfield Milling Co.'s mills, which for two weeks have been shut down on account of making new improvements started up this afternoon. Many improvements have been made at the mill. Everything is now in first-class condition.

Loss $1300.

I take great pleasure in recommending the Connecticut Fire Insurance company of Hartford and their agents, Messrs. Handy & Kuny. My residence burned last Monday afternoon and to-day I received cash in full payment of policy.

ANN H. SHELLEY.

Thursday, Oct. 29, '91.-d1w

Now you know that Ferriss & Lapham always sole your shoes cheap. But all past prices are not in it compared with the low prices which they are now quoting. They must turn thir present wholesale stock into cash before January 1 and they have to sell the bulk of it at retail in Decatur. Better go there and buy now. Nothing like getting a pair of shoes at half price when you can. Ferriss & Lapham, 148 East Main street. tf.

La Place News.

Dry.

Corn shucking is the order of the day.

Miss May Ridgill, who has been visiting relatives in this place for a few weeks, returned to her home in Indiana last week.

Miss Sadie Espy and sister, Mrs. Coventry, Ind., visited their brother a few days last week. D. B. Espy is very sick with the grip. His father is running his store.

Thos. Cook and wife, of Bement, visited at Theo. Gunkle's Sunday.

J. O. Boring and family have returned from Minnesota.

M. I. Henricks has returned from Texas; no place like Illinois.

Leo Wise has decorated his property with a brick walk, which is quite an improvement over the old board walk Will say to the other merchants: Go thou, and do like Wise.

Mrs. Theo. Gunkle visited in Lovington last Friday.

Our burg looked like a cyclone had passed through it on Sunday morning all on account of Hallow E'en.

Newton Snyder moved his household goods to Casner to-day.

R. H. Henrick's new residence is nearing completion.

Several of our young folks attended the concert by the Jinglers at Cerro Gordo last Saturday evening.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Mike Ducy, on last Sunday, a pair of twins—both boys. Z.

Nov. 2, 1891.

ELDERS IN SESSION.

Meeting of Cabinet Ministers of the Illinois Conference.

The annual business meeting of presiding elders of the Illinois Conference of the Methodist Episcopal church was held in Room No. 1 at the First M. E. church to-day, closing at a late hour this afternoon.

THE DISTRICTS.

The districts represented were as follows:

Bloomington—George Stevens.
Decatur—M. D. Hawes.
Danville—George E. Scrimger.
Champaign—T. A. Parker.
Mattoon—J. T. Orr.
Quincy—D. W. English.
Springfield—W. N. McElroy.
Jacksonville—W. D. Best.
West Jacksonville—M. W. Everhart.

Among the ministers present were Dr Hiram Buck, Rev. James Miller and Rev. C. G. Wood.

The meeting organized by the election of T. A. Parker chairman and M. W Everhart secretary. The meeting of the elders is for the purpose of making the assessments for church expenses for the year, for board of church extension, for the Sunday school union, for tract society, for Freedman's Aid Society, American Bible Society, Education, Woman's Foreign Missionary Society, Woman's Home Missionary Society, for pastors', presiding elders' and bishops' salaries, and for conference claimants. The total assessements will be close to $50,000, to be properly apportioned among the nine districts in the conference.

A Hard Nut to Crack.

Ex-Governor Dick Oglesby says that Carter H. Harrison is the hardest man to deal with in a joint debate he ever met with. The two had several little round-ups at the time when both were candidates for the gubernatorial honor, and the reminiscences which Oglesby relates are of an amusing character. One illustrates with peculiar force Harrison's fertility of resource. At Decatur they had a joint debate. It was Oglesby's old town and the feeling there was naturally in his favor. In the course of his speech Oglesby reverted with pride to the fact that a part of his life had been spent in tilling the soil in that neighborhood, and he held up his hand to exhibit a scar thereon, the scar of the wound he received forty years before while stickling wheat. This delighted the farmers and there was great applause. But Harrison was not in the least disconcerted: he wasn't to be fazed by a little thing like that. When it came his turn to speak he complimented Oglesby upon bearing so honorable a scar upon his body: "yet," he went on to say, "I, too, carry about me these silent witnesses to a life of devotion to agriculture. It was not my fortune, fellow-citizens, to live in this fertile beautiful section which your toils has made the garden spot of the continent. My lines were cast elsewhere—in a spot where nature was niggardly and the soil ungrateful. For years I labored to eke out a subsistence where the most bounteous crop would by you cultivators of this veritable Eden be righteously regarded as a failure. Poverty was the reward I reaped: yet out of those years have I come with the proud consciousness that I wrought honestly, and I hold it above all other things, all other things, all other emoluments and honors that I was a farmer, if not a successful farmer. My body is covered with scars of wounds won in that noble service. You smile incredulously? Then I will prove it to you."

"Now," says Gov. Oglesby, narrating the circumstances to a group of friends at the Grand Pacific Hotel last week," what do you suppose that crafty rapscallion did? Why, he deliberately sat down on the platform, drew off a boot and stocking, and exhibited a long red mark on his right foot which he declared was the scar of a wound he got while hoeing potatoes in Maine in 1859. I should like to know what is to be done with a man cabable of such a——mean trick as that."—*Ex.*

THE honesty and courage of Maj. McKinley has not been better illustrated than by F. G. Neidringhaus, the tin plate manufacturer and ex-congressman of St. Louis, when in an interview he recently said:

"The free trade press charged me with advocating the imposition of the increased tin-plate duties when I was in Congress. The truth is, I did urge the increased tariff, but it was as a business man and a citizen, and not as a politician. As a politician I strongly urged against the imposition of the high rates in the Ways and Means Committee conference. From a political standpoint, I made a strong argument against it. When I made my talk the committee drew letters on me from my own firm, in which we had urged on the Fiftieth Congress to put tariff on tin plate and we would make it. After I had gotton through my speech Mr. McKinley, like a Napoleon that he is, said, Let us do right the first thing, even if the party does suffer at first, and then I acknowledged that I opposed the duty on tin plate, because the American people were not yet educated up to the point where they could see the good the tariff would do."

Robbed the Starving.

ST. PETERSBURG, Nov. 3.—The marshal of the nobility in the province of Tamboff, being intrusted with the fund for the relief of the starving peasants, reported that vessels containing 100,000 rubles' worth of grain, bought with the money intrusted to him, had been wrecked. It was believed the grain was not injured, and that the marshal pocketed the value of it. As nothing more was heard of the wrecked vessels, suspicion arose, and the marshal was accused of the fraud. He disgorged 130,000 roubles and was allowed to escape legal punishment.

Will Declare the Miners' Strike Off.

PITTSBURGH, Pa., Nov. 3.—It is confidently expected that at to-day's convention of railroad miners to be held in this city, the miners' strike will be declared off. The strike was inaugurated three weeks ago. The strike has cost the 10,000 miners interested about $750,000 in wages lost, while the operators have suffered the loss of the lake trade for the year, as the season has almost passed and they will now have only the local market to supply. A great many of the diggers have already returned to work.

The Cruiser Newark to be Made Ready for Sea.

BOSTON, Mass., Nov. 3.—Yesterday forenoon Commandant Selfridge, of the Charlestown received instructions from Secretary Tracy directing that the cruiser Newark be made ready for sea by November 10. Orders have also been received that in employing men for work on the cruiser the civil service rules recently put in force must be strictly adhered to.

Emin Pasha.

BERLIN, Nov. 3.—Dr. Steiner, of this city, publishes a letter from Emin Pasha, in which the latter mentions his intention of crossing to the Cameroons but makes no mention of the Wadelai. Dr. Steiner declares that there is no room for Emin in the lake region if Wissmann is retained as governor.

BAVARIA'S demented King spends most of his time skinning potatoes. Several other European sovereigns spend most of theirs trying to skin each other.

Did the Aztecs Build It?

While workmen were excavating for new gates just above the Marseilles dam, eight miles east of Ottawa, Ill., they discovered a stone roadway. Some fifty feet of a well-made pavement of slabs was uncovered, each stone being some twelve feet long, one to 3 feet wide, and over two inches in thickness, with a break here and there filled in with cobblestones, which were also laid in regular courses. The roadway so far as uncovered is almost perfect. It is of the uniform width of about twelve feet, and is laid upon a foundation of gravel and broken sandstone. The depth at which it appears is from four to six feet. It is thought to have been built by the Aztecs or Tezcucons, who were driven from this community by the Indians.

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Master in Chancery's Sale.

State of Illinois, Macon County. } In the Circuit Court.

Lincoln Steel vs. Yates Steel et al. } No. 13882. Bill for Foreclosure.

Public notice is hereby given that in pursuance of a decree of the Circuit Court of Macon county, in the state of Illinois, rendered in the above entitled case at the September term of said court, A. D. 1891, I, James J. Finn, Master-in-Chancery of said Court, will on

Wednesday, November 25, 1891,

at the hour of 2 o'clock p. m., at the west outside entrance to the Circuit Court room, in the city of Decatur, in said County, offer for sale, subject to redemption, according to law, and subject to the approval of the Court, at public auction to the highest and best bidder, for cash in hand, the lands mentioned in said decree and described as follows, to-wit:

All of that part of the southeast quarter (¼) of section thirty-two (32), township fifteen (15) north, range two (2), east of the 3rd principal meridian, lying west of the right of way of the Illinois Central railroad, except lots Nos. ten (10) and eleven (11) of block two (2) of Steel's addition to Macon, situated in Macon county, Illinois, subject to a certain mortgage of Clifford M. Anthony, trustee, mentioned in said decree, which mortgage the purchaser will assume to pay at maturity.

Dated at Decatur, Ill., this 2d day of November, A. D. 1891.

JAMES J. FINN, Master in Chancery.

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